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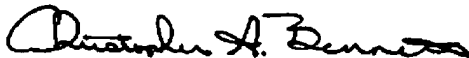
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Examiner Ngo,

Please find attached hereto the following documents for the above-identified application:

Response to Restriction Requirement.

Respectfully submitted,



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In re application of: Norio SAKAI et al. Serial No.: 10/620,096 Filing Date: July 15, 2003 For: LAMINATED CERAMIC ELECTRONIC COMPONENT AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME	Art Unit: 2831 Examiner: Hung V. Ngo
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement issued on September 15, 2004, Applicants elect Group I, including Claims 1-12 for prosecution in the present application. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants hereby reserve the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution of the non-elected claims 13-21.

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Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance.  
Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are  
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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